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SURVEY DUPONT HIGHWAY

Will Send Out Three Squads of Engineers this Week

General T. Coleman duPont returned to Wilmington on Monday from his country home near Cambridge, Md., where he has been for several weeks, and he brought with him the pleasing information that three corps of engineers will be started on this week to make tentative surveys in New Castle and Sussex counties for the proposed boulevard. Two of these engineering squads will start running lines through Sussex county, and it is probable that one force of engineers will work from Delmar toward Harrington, and the other from Selbyville toward Georgetown. At the same time another corps of engineers will start somewhere in New Castle county to look over the country and to suggest different routes. The lingering of winter and the encroachment of winter weather into springtime has deterred the start of surveying operations. Coupled with the uncertain weather, the frequent rains have made conditions such in the open country that surveyers could not do much work, and what they might do would not be satisfactory.

When the prospect of more settled weather, however, General duPont is ready to get right down to the preliminary details, and he expects that the surveys will have progressed sufficiently in two months to permit the Commissioners designated under the law empowering the duPont boulevard construction—the Governor, the Secretary of State and the Lieutenant Governor—to determine upon the location of part of the road at least.

To Start Without Delay
"Then," says General duPont, "I expect to start work the day after any one section is accepted by the Commissioners. It should be understood that the location of the road has not been determined upon and that it will depend entirely upon the surveys and conditions that are revealed by those surveys. The location of the duPont highway, too, will be determined by the three Commissioners designated by the law empowering the construction of roads by boulevard corporations, which was passed by the recent Legislature. General duPont made it clear that the route for the road is yet to be determined."

"What are your plans for going through towns on the line of the road," General duPont was asked.
"I have been giving this subject a great deal of thought," he replied. "There is a strong sentiment in some places in favor of the road going through the towns and if the Board of Commissioners feel that this is advisable I am willing to consider it along the following line, but we must remember the condition to keep in mind."

Might Go Through Towns
"The streets are in many instances too narrow and crooked and are not likely to run in a line parallel to the proposed road. No arrangement has been made with the municipal authorities; each case must be handled separately according to local conditions."

"Assuming that the Commissioners feel a location through a certain town is desirable and that town wants the road. If the town would give a right of way from its northern to its southern boundary, say one hundred feet wide, running practically parallel to the survey of the road, should pass necessary ordinances to properly maintain the road at all times; the said right of way to be one of the present streets widened perhaps, or an entirely new street, as might be determined. I would then consider building through town, say four roads 16 feet wide and two sidewalks, separated by grass plots and used for curbing; one road each way to be used for vehicles pulled by animal or man and one road each way for motor propelled vehicles, then share the additional expense with the town, bearing the lion's share myself; the amount would be governed by the adopted plan. The town might well give 200 feet and have a beautiful and attractive boulevard for its people."

"You understand I am only speaking on general lines. Details too numerous to mention in the space you can allow for this article, would have to be considered."

Comprehensive Plans
"Have you any further ideas in connection with the road that would be of interest?" General duPont was asked by the reporter.

"I have some general plans, as yet so undeveloped that the final outcome might not be recognized as having the present beginning," he replied. "For instance: If practical, I want to establish, say every ten miles, a station, where patrons of the road could stop and ask questions about lands, crops, properties for sale, be given information about surrounding country, feed horses, get gasoline, luncheon or tea, have minor repairs made to automobiles or get a horse shod; keep early plants for farmers, and perhaps thoroughbred stock, distribute circulars telling of the advantages of Delaware and for many other purposes."

"The station would be looked after by the family of the owner who looked after that section of the road, or by one of the owners or an arrangement made by which an organization of those interested in Delaware's future could make experiments and show the advantage of certain method of farming or of certain fertilizers, etc."

"I could go on indefinitely telling the many advantages a station of that kind would be, if properly run by the people really interested in Delaware. Some of the Western States make large appropriations through their Legislatures to have the farmer given the advantages of the best methods of farming, send men to make demonstrations and to give instruction in the most recent improvements in farming, etc., and Delaware is just as able to do this as other States, but Delaware's greatest drawback is that too many men are looking for political jobs, when if they knew more of the real value of her resources and how to use them, it would be only duty that would make a man accept a political position when he could do so much better without one."

When do you expect to start actual work on the road?" was the next question.
"The survey will be far enough along in sixty days, I hope, to the Commissioners decide on location for part of the road," replied General duPont.
"After this, a final survey with cross section and profile will have to be made. I expect to start work the day after any one section is accepted by the Commissioners."

USEFUL THINGS TO KNOW

A good salve to use for the lips when they are inclined to crack is composed of half an ounce of lanoline and an equal part of honey or glycerine.

When making aprons especially those to be used in doing housework, do not forget a large pocket. It will save many a step in dusting in picking up.

A crust of bread is best to clean a sticky bread or cake pan. Never use a knife or anything that will scratch the surface and invite more sticking thereafter.

A clean cloth dipped in hot water and then placed in a saucer of bran, will clean white paint and not injure it. The soft bran acts like soap on the paint.

A small button of garlic in a quart of vinegar will give it a mysteriously delicious flavor, and will also immensely improve salads or anything with which it is used.

In putting down linoleum or oil cloth have strips of mauling nailed on the edges, next to the base board. This prevents dusts from getting under and preserves the edges.

A refreshing drink for afternoon card parties is made of equal parts of ginger ale and grape juice. Serve in straight, thin glasses, with a maraschino cherry floating on top.

Arrowroot will be found more satisfactory than corn starch for thickening fruit sauces or juices to be used with sauces. It does not change the liquid, nor does it cloud it at all.

When the color of a dress has faded owing to staining from lemon or other acid fruit juice, a good idea is to touch the spots with liquid ammonia, which will often restore the color.

Roller shades may be satisfactorily cleaned. Remove from the window, spread in a table, and rub them thoroughly with heated corn meal, wiping them off with a cloth dipped in gasoline.

Never put white clothing away in a closet drawer, for it will very soon become yellow.

To lighten clothes that have become yellow stain them overnight in lukewarm water and in the morning wash them in clean soap; then put them in the boiler with some bits of soap and a teaspoonful of powdered borax. Boil for twenty minutes, rinse immediately and let them lie for another night in clean cold water to which a little borax has been added.

Have a piece of round steak cut evenly, make a dressing as for poultry; spread it over the beef, roll it up and tie. Lay a round bottom of kettle, in which a few pieces of fat pork have been tried out, turn over until browned on all sides, add a little salt and boiling water. Cover closely and a few hours.

If your furniture has grown streaked and dull, try rubbing it with flannel dipped in equal parts of turpentine and coal oil. It polishes quickly and much more cheaply than the expensive polishes.

A good home-made furniture polish is composed of linseed or salad oil and vinegar. Mix well with a stick until the oil does not float on the surface. Apply with a flannel and rub off with linen.

When paring any kind of fresh fruit, if the hands are washed off immediately with cold water instead of being washed in warm water and soap, there will be very little danger of unsightly stains.

If powdered silver polish is mixed to a thin paste with olive oil, well rubbed into a variety of the silver and left for a few hours, the silver after being washed in the usual way will be bright and free from stain.

Roll slices of calves' tongue in a thin slice of bacon, hold together with a silver shewer, flour and cook to a delicate brown. Serve on chop dish with garnishings of cream. Pass a thick, creamy gravy in silver sauce boat.

Mental buttons and ornaments may frequently harmonize with some new garment. After the desired color has been applied, you should be so varnished that they will resemble enamel. The drying process will require several days.

Save all bits of fat for two purposes. The best can be clarified for frying and the rest makes up into soap. Remember in making soap that a teaspoonful of salt added to every ten pounds of grease improves the quality of the soap.

Instead of cold deviled eggs, try these: Stuff in usual way, put two halves together and dip in egg and bread crumbs and fry at the last minute in boiling fat. Serve on round silver platters with a center of green peas and a border of thick tomato puree.

If your new shoes bid fair to rub a blister on your heels put a piece of adhesive plaster over the sensitive part. In a few days it will be well, and the shoes will have softened in the meanwhile.

Motor pillows are something new. They should, of course, match in color and material the robes and upholstery of the car.

Long spurs and pale legs are a sign of an old turkey. The gobbler, while it has less white meat, is supposed to have a better taste than the old hen turkey.

When making fruit pies, damp the edge with milk instead of water. It holds better and the juice is not so liable to run over.

A stain on silver is caused by medicine, rub with a cloth dipped in sulphuric acid, wash in soap and water and polish as usual.

If a pair of shoes has become stiffened with walking in the wet, they should first be washed with warm water and then have oil well rubbed into them.

Frequently dusting saves sweeping. A room that is dusted often and thoroughly will not require such constant sweeping as one that is dusted carelessly and seldom.

For mildew, salt water and sunbath will remove the worst mildew stains. Wet often, when the sun is bright, and persevere until the garment is white.

Patent leather shoes should have the dirt removed from them with a damp sponge. Dry with a duster and then apply a very little vasoline and polish with a silk handkerchief.

EASTER IN HISTORY

Has Always Been Celebrated With Joy

Easter is one of the oldest Christian festivals and commemorating the central fact of the Christian faith, has always been celebrated with joy. It was originally a festival to the Teutonic goddess of Spring, Ostera or Eastra. The Saxons kept the festival, and when later as Christians they kept the "Pasch" in memory of the great Paschal Lamb they called it by the same name, Easter, as it came in the same season of the year as their former Teutonic festival.

In Ireland they have a legend that the sun dances on Easter morning. The peasants set a tub of water out of doors the night before the break of day to see the sun dance in the water. In olden times eggs were distributed from the churches; they were regarded as a symbol of the resurrection. In Europe, in ancient days, in connection with religious ceremonies it was customary to celebrate the day by deeds of mercy—granting liberty to the captive, freedom to the slave, pardon to the criminal.

The Puritans, because of the riotous excesses which in their day characterized the observance of Easter, put their ban upon the festival, and as a heritage of this, until comparatively recent years it was not commonly observed by the Protestant churches of America. But happily it has emerged, and now Catholic and Protestant join in keeping the great feast of our Lord's Resurrection with a solemn, holy, reverent joy. It is one of the invisible bands which are drawing Christians together again. Appropriately it comes when all nature is rejoicing in its own resurrection. It is the "time of the singing of birds." Let it also be forever the time of the singing of men and angels.

The Stone Rolled Away

That is a beautiful story of the women who hastened to the sepulchre early in the morning. They were in deep sorrow, hope had fled, and they never expected to see their Master alive again. But the love they bore him impelled them to go on their last and mission.

As they went they were troubled by the thought of the great stone that blocked the entrance to the tomb, and they asked themselves the question, "Who will roll away the stone?" That thought of the stone weighed on their mind all the way to the sepulchre. But when they reached the place they found the stone rolled away, and then they realized how needless had been their fears.

So oftentimes today people foolishly worry themselves in anticipating real or imaginary difficulties. But when at last they reach the place of the stone of difficulty, they frequently find that some good angel has rolled it away.

Easter A Movable Feast

Unlike most general anniversaries the date on which Easter falls varies by several weeks, and for that reason Easter is called a movable feast. During the first three centuries there was much uncertainty and confusion among Christian churches as to the precise time it should be observed. This was because the Passover, immediately following which Christ arose from the tomb, was a movable feast among the Jews. Consequently some churches kept Easter as early as March 21, while others kept it as late as April 25. The Council of Nice in 325 ordained that Easter should always be held on the Sunday immediately following the full moon that happened upon or next after March 21, the day of the vernal equinox.

Rag Rugs

Have you thought that rag rugs can be made of things of beauty by stitching them? Take a woven all over of white rag, for instance; stenciled in some conventional design in a queer blue or green; it becomes a fit covering for your bedroom floor, a really charming and unique bit of furnishing.

Another pretty variety is the rag rug made of all sorts of bright colors, woven without respect to design and then finished with a stenciled border of some solid harmonizing color.

Color should be bought in the raw tint, and then diluted to the shade desired with white lead or common white paint. The latter is better, as the linseed oil contained in it sets the color and makes the rug washable.

AN ABNORMAL WINTER

Not so much for its severity as for its tenaciousness, not so much for extremes of temperature, and not so much for its discomfort as for its unhealthfulness, the winter of 1910-1911 will not be forgotten by Middletown residents. Dating its actual beginning from the first snow, on November 24, 1910, we still had winter with us on April 9th 1911, with a wet, disagreeable fall of snow and a penetrating chill that got beneath furs and overcoats. Five months did it continue, and there have been few periods of unseasoned temperatures, but instead fluctuations that have begotten colds, grip and more serious ailments among a large proportion of the population. It is such a season as the one that is, everybody hopes, now passing, that debilitates and makes for low resistance against the ills that human flesh is heir to. And it is particularly noticeable because Delaware is not usually subject to such conditions. This is normally as healthy a State as can be found on the eastern seaboard, with a fairly equable climate and comparatively brief winters; but this time we have had nearly half a year of the worst kind of winter, and every citizen of Delaware has breathed a sigh of relief since Monday when genuine spring weather came to assure the passing of the incubus.

Do We Practice Economy?

This thought has been suggested in more ways than one. It used to be that almost every man with a family living in small towns, had a garden, in which was grown potatoes, cabbage, corn, beans, and a general variety of vegetables. The work of cultivating the garden was done at odd times and did not interfere with the daily occupation of the head of the home. Products of the garden cut down living expenses very materially, and much that the garden produced was gathered and preserved for winter use. This is no longer true, with possibly few exceptions. Instead, if we want vegetables we go to the market places and buy them. Every cent of money spent in this way increases the cost of living and is against old-fashioned but wise economy.

Then comes another important item in moderate circumstances—bread, commonly called the staff of life. Do we bake as much bread as we buy? Did you ever consider the difference in cost of buying bread and baking bread at your home and buying bread? It is estimated that for about 300 fall-sized loaves of bread can be baked from a barrel of flour. Good flour can be bought for \$6.50 per barrel. Three hundred loaves of bread purchased in the market costs \$15.00. It does not take close figuring to see how much we spend that we could save in buying flour and making our own bread. We are consuming but not producing along certain lines, and this is especially so in the household.

We are neglecting the garden and are paying a pretty high figure for such neglect.

Will Stop Work at Age of 100

Undoubtedly the oldest and most remarkable woman on the peninsula is Kitty Tindell, colored, who lives near Concord, Sussex county. "Aunt Kitty," as she is called by everyone, is nearing the century mark, having recently celebrated her 99th birthday. She was never a slave and has lived in the same house since her birth.

For over 20 years past she has never had a doctor nor known an ache or pain. Her physical condition is excellent and five days in every week she walks from two to five miles and washes and irons for housewives; of that section. Her vision of sight is as clear as it ever was and in fact all her senses are good. "Aunt Kitty" says if she lives to be a hundred she will stop work.

Electric Lights on Farm

Many farmers around Wyoming and Dover are having their houses and buildings equipped with electricity, in getting up in the morning they can turn on a switch which will light up the stables and barn where the early work must be done. Several farmers are also installing modern water plants on the farms supplying water for their houses and for bath, toilet and running water purposes.

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FOUND LORIMER "SLUSH" FUND

The \$100,000.00 "slush" fund, to form which a number of the big trusts chipped in, and whose use made Lorimer of Illinois eligible for membership in the millionaire boodle colony in the U. S. Senate, has been uncovered at last. Alas! Standard Oil Bailey of Texas, Wall Street Gallinger, copper Guggenheim, Mormon Smoot and the rest of the "colony" will be in danger of losing their besmirched Lorimer pet whose coming they hailed with such joy and with whom they commingled their "weeps" so plentifully. That busy-body LaFollette who has the impudence to deny millionaires the right to buy with their own coin any pretty thing that takes their fancy—the toga, for instance—is out again with an investigation, prying into these purely personal matters which don't concern the people at all—the vulgar fellow from the "wild and woolly West!"

It is positively painful to think of! All that lachrymose procedure of the boodle senator must be done over again! All those salt streams that flowed in such torrents down the noses of the sympathetic boodle senators will have flowed in vain. Once more must the briny fountains be broken up as the boodle Moses smites the rock of senatorial courtesy! Can't be helped though. The pitiful senators, including our Delaware sons, will have to lay in an extra stock of "wipes," as Fagin would say, against the repetition of the moist episode. We wonder though, when Lorimer turns on the tears a second time if it will be quite so heartbreaking a performance as at the first? Will these boodle Desdemonas once more when Othello Lorimer tells his yarn, give him "a world of sighs," swear

"—in faith 'twas strange, 'twas passing strange, 'twas wondrous pitiful; They wished they had not heard it, 'twas!"

Lorimer's brine racket will hardly be so easy a job in the very face of the cold-blooded \$100,000.00 "slush" fund fact. How would the opening words of Antony's famous oration do—slightly altered—for Lorimer in his second weeping appeal to his fellow members of the "colony"—"You all do know this—boodle! etc! It might serve, like the display of Caesar's mantle, to move them again tears.

"THE Peerless," would seem to be also priceless—at any rate not on the market for the trifle of \$2,000,000.00, that being the sum for which Bryan refused, they say, to exchange the atmosphere of Lincoln, Nebraska, for that of Memphis, Tennessee.

Cecilton

William Anderson, of Elizabeth, N. J., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Anderson.

Ferdinand E. Hoovan, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hoovan.

J. D. Belts was a Wilmington visitor last Saturday.

Miss May Bowers, of Kirkwood, is spending sometime with M. E. Rickards.

Mr. Noble P. Ferguson, of Wilmington, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Thomas Pierce.

Mrs. R. W. Blackway and daughter, and Miss Mary, spent Monday with friends in Kenton, Md.

Mr. Thomas VanBoskirk and daughter, Miss Blanch, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Alderson.

Rev. O. E. Jones, of Seaford, and Rev. W. F. Dawson, of Camden, Del., spent last Thursday with friends in town.

Miss Blanch Brown is spending sometime in Baltimore.

Mrs. B. Johnson, of Greensboro, is the guest of Mrs. E. S. Short.

Mr. J. H. Smith was a Baltimore visitor few this week.

Mrs. G. W. Padley, Mrs. E. M. Black and Miss Gertrude Hoovan were Middletown visitors on Tuesday.

WARWICK

Mr. T. B. Vinyard was in Philadelphia one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Wilson were Cecilton visitors on Sunday.

Judge R. B. Merritt was in Elkton on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Bessie Gunkel entertained the Misses King and Cullum on Sunday.

Mrs. Josephine Wilson is visiting R. D. Alken and family, on Bobemia Manor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Merritt spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Urie P. Ginn, at Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. E. M. Eaton is spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Bayard Jordan, of near Hockessin.

Mr. J. E. Marsh, of St. John's College, Annapolis, Md., is spending his Easter with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morgan, of Col., were in town Sunday. His many friends.

REV. J. U. KING PROMOTED

Trinity M. E. Church in the removal of their present pastor, Rev. J. U. King, to the much larger and stronger church at St. Michael's Md., suffers a great loss. This change is in fact a distinct promotion of Mr. King, his appointment being the result of an invitation on the part of the people of that charge.

Mr. King is a cultivated gentleman, by far the most scholarly colored Minister ever in Middletown, one indeed, whose learning would do credit to any minister. He prepared for college at Prince Anne Academy, Md., took a special course in College; a course in theology at Howard University; read a course in philosophy with the Chicago Seminary of Science, and finally, took a post graduate course at Yale University, Conn.

Mr. King has been a useful counselor for the colored people both in his own church and in the community generally, and while always entirely loyal to them in every way, he nevertheless, both by precept and example strove to develop in them uprightness of character and conduct.

Mr. King stood always for honesty, order and sobriety and his useful influence in this town will be missed.

The Transcript wishes him very great success in his new field. Mr. King's successor, is Rev. W. A. Hubbard, who comes from Pomona, Md., where he did good work. Mr. Hubbard has served some of the largest churches and comes to Middletown with the recommendation of his former District Superintendent.

At the recent session of the Delaware Conference held in Calvary Church, Broad and Fitzwater street Philadelphia, the following appointments were made for the Wilmington District, viz:

W. F. Cotten, Superintendent.
Barclay, Md., O. P. Dickerson; Catlin, Md., D. G. Waters; Chesapeake City, E. M. Tyler; Cokesbury, S. J. Horsey; Coleman, Md., E. O. Parker; Crumpton, Md., T. B. H. Coleman; Delaware City, Del., J. O. Stanly; Supply; Dover, Del., J. W. Jefferson; Dover Circuit, Morris Murphy, Supply; Galena, J. A. Jeffers; Hockessin, Del., J. E. Stanton; Supply; Maryland, Md., W. T. Spellman; Middletown, Del., W. A. Hubbard; Millington, Md., P. W. Price, New Castle, Del., M. W. Clark; Newport, Del., A. F. Ennals; Odessa, Del., Thos. Randall; Port Deposit, S. Hammond; Port Penn, L. S. Moore; Sassafras, Md., J. R. Taylor; Smyrna, Del., A. E. Shocher; Sull Ford, Md., J. L. Parker; Townsend, Del., L. E. Tonison; Wilmington, E. J. J. A. T. Foote; Wilmington, Haven, J. T. Fletcher; Wilmington, Mt. Joy, D. H. Hargis; W. C. Jason, Pres. State College, Dover, Del.; T. H. Kiah, Principal Princess Anne Academy; P. O'Connell, Professor Howard University.

OBITUARY

MRS. WILLIAM C. ALEXANDER

Mrs. William C. Alexander, wife of Rev. W. C. Alexander, D. D. recently of Roswell, New Mexico, died at Glen Hall, Atlantic City, N. J., last Friday night. She was buried at her former home, Easton, Pa., on Monday afternoon. Dr. Alexander was pastor of Forest Presbyterian Church for ten years, leaving here about twenty-two years ago. Upon leaving here he went to Matawan, N. J., and later was pastor of a church in Washington, D. C. He has been in the West recently, just having given up a charge in Roswell, N. M., because of poor health. Since leaving here Dr. and Mrs. Alexander have been unfortunate in the loss of two children, a son Reese, and a daughter, Beesie. But one child, a son, William, who is now in New Mexico, survives the mother.

A sister of Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Lizzie Reese Queen, will be well remembered as a frequent visitor at the Manor during Dr. Alexander's pastorate here. Dr. Alexander has the sincere sympathy of many friends here.

MRS. WILLIAM READING

Mrs. William Reading died at her home at Masses Md., on Wednesday, aged 69 years. Blood poison was the cause of her death. Funeral services were held at her late home Friday morning at 10.30 o'clock. Interment was made in Schenbury Cemetery, near Kennedysville.

Attempted Burglary

On last Sunday morning an attempt was made to enter the store of Harry Dektor, on Main and Broad. Another effort was made on Tuesday morning. A seal was used to prize off the panels of the rear door, probably with a view to lifting any bar that might close in the door. The thief doubtless gave it up for a bad job, the spot being too public for the completion of his work.

Quality vs. Quantity

A Man buying Butter, said "I want Quality, not Quantity." Most Men, in buying Clothes, want the same and with us, it is not how cheap we can sell you Clothes, but how good for the money you want to spend.

Careless out, poor make and mean trimmings will give you awfully low priced Clothes and usually poor wear.

Every Dept. is waiting for you here; Men and Young Men will like the new \$12, \$15, \$18, and \$20 Suits and the Spring Overcoats at \$10 to \$25. Boys the \$8 to \$15 Suits and Little Boys, the \$4 to \$10 Suits.

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Mare Dies Suddenly

Sometime during Tuesday night a valuable mare belonging to Lewis Hall died. She was found cold and stiff by her owner when he entered the stable on Wednesday morning. Since the animal was soon to foal, and was in good condition when she was fed on Tuesday evening, it is supposed she was taken with the colic in the night. It is a severe loss for her owner, who is a hard-working, worthy, colored man, as he refused an offer of \$175 for the animal.

CERTIFICATE OF CHANGE OF Detroit-Delaware Manufacturing Company

The location of the principal office on this State is the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle.

The name of the agent therein and in charge thereof upon whom process against this Corporation may be served, is Corporation Guaranty & Trust Company.

The Board of Directors of the DETROIT-DELAWARE MANUFACTURING CO., a Corporation of Delaware, on the 16th day of February, 1911, do hereby resolve and declare that it is advisable that Article I of the Articles of Incorporation be amended to read as follows:

(I) The corporate name is IMPERIAL MANUFACTURING COMPANY.
That Article IV of the Articles of Incorporation be amended to read as follows:
(IV) The Corporation is authorized to issue capital stock to the extent of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) divided into One Thousand (1,000) shares of the par value of \$100.00 each all of which stock shall be of the same class.

And do hereby call a meeting of the stockholders, to be held at the Company's office in the City of Wilmington, Delaware, on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1911, at 10 o'clock A. M., to take action upon the above resolution.

CERTIFICATE OF CHANGE

The DETROIT-DELAWARE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, a Corporation of Delaware, do hereby certify that it has amended Article I of its Articles of Incorporation to read as follows:
"(I) The corporate name is IMPERIAL MANUFACTURING COMPANY.
And that it has amended Article IV of its Articles of Incorporation to read as follows:
(IV) The Corporation is authorized to issue capital stock to the extent of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) divided into One Thousand (1,000) shares of the par value of \$100.00 each; all of which stock shall be of the same class.

Said amendments having been declared by resolution of the Board of Directors of said corporation to be advisable, and having been duly and regularly assented to by ballot by the vote of two-thirds in interest of each class of stockholders having voting powers, at a meeting duly called by the Board of Directors for that purpose; and the certificate of the Judges is hereby appended.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said corporation has caused this certificate to be signed by its President and Secretary, and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed the 17th day of March, A. D. 1911.

[SEAL] P. H. KELLY, President.

[SEAL] H. TYLER, Secretary.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, ss.

COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA, ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 17th day of March, A. D. 1911, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public, personally appeared P. H. KELLY, President of the DETROIT-DELAWARE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, a corporation mentioned in and which executed the foregoing certificate, who being by me duly sworn, on his oath says he is such President, and that the seal affixed to said certificate is the corporate seal of said corporation, the same being well known to him; that H. TYLER is Secretary of said corporation and signed said certificate and affixed said seal thereto, and delivered said certificate by authority of the Board of Directors and with the assent of at least two-thirds in interest of each class of stockholders having voting powers and for his voluntary act and deed, and the voluntary act and deed of said corporation in presence of deponent, who thereupon subscribed his name thereto.

And he further says the Judges certificate hereto appended is a correct copy, and that at least two-thirds in interest of each class of stockholders voted by ballot in favor of said amendments.

[SEAL] JOSEPH F. COTTER, Notary Public.

Commission Expires May 14th, 1911.

THE DETROIT-DELAWARE MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

STATE OF DELAWARE, ss.

COUNTY OF NEW CASTLE, ss.

Joseph F. Cotter and Thomas J. Bowen, Jr., being severally sworn upon their respective oaths do promise and swear that they will faithfully, honestly and impartially perform the duties of Judges, and will to the best of their skill and ability count the votes for and against the amendment of charter of the Corporation above named, and a true report make of the same.

Joseph F. Cotter, Thomas J. Bowen, Jr., Subscribed and sworn to at the City of Wilmington, this 17th day of March, 1911, before me, Sylvester D. Townsend, Jr., Notary Public.

[SEAL] Sylvester D. Townsend, Jr., Notary Public.

Appointed June 10, 1908.

Term four years.

We, the Subscribers, Judges, having been appointed by the stockholders of the Company above named at their meeting held this 17th day of March, A. D. 1911, do report that having taken an oath impartially to count the votes, we did receive the votes of the stockholder by ballot for and against the amendment of Charter.

We report that 88713 1-3 votes were cast in favor of the reduction of capital stock and change of name to Imperial Manufacturing Company.

All of which is respectfully submitted this 17th day of March 1911, at the City of Wilmington, Delaware.

Joseph F. Cotter, Thomas J. Bowen, Jr., Judges.

I, William T. Smithers, Secretary of State of the State of Delaware, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of Certificate of Amendment of Certificate of Incorporation of the "Detroit-Delaware Manufacturing Company", as received and filed in this office the twenty-eighth day of March, A. D. 1911, at 9 o'clock A. M.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand official seal, at Dover, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

William T. Smithers, Secretary of State.

[SEAL] STATE OF DELAWARE, ss.

NEW CASTLE COUNTY, ss.

Recorded in the Office for the Recording of Deeds, etc., at Wilmington, in and for the County aforesaid, in Certificate of Incorporation Record 2, Volume 3, Page 496 etc., the 29th day of March A. D. 1911.

Witness my hand and seal of said office the day and year last aforesaid.

[SEAL] A. V. L. George, Recorder.

PARTNERSHIP DISSOLVED

The partnership heretofore existing between Alexander Maxwell and Michael Carroll, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by Alexander Maxwell, who assumes all outstanding bills. All persons indebted to the firm are requested to settle same at once.

ALEXANDER MAXWELL, MICHAEL CARROLL.

Middletown, Del., March 27th, 1911.

NOTICE!

WE HAVE A FEW
TOP BUGGIES and RUNABOUTS
Which will be sold
AT COST!

Also a quantity of Horse Collars, Blankets and other accessories, which we are closing out

At Sacrifice Prices
It will pay you to buy now.

J. C. Parker & Son Co.
Middletown, Delaware

M. BANNING

East Main Street Market
DEALER IN
FANCY GROCERIES; DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS

Spring has come now after the long Winter, and we must hustle to get our fields and gardens planted.

Be sure to buy Good seed. We have them in Bulk or Package. Then too, there is Spring work for the housewife, such as cleaning and decorating the home with new floor covering, wall paper, window shades, etc.

Our line of Matting and Rugs is extra pretty this season. One rug, we have just gotten in is a 9x12 Daimyo Rug, made from wool and fiber, strong and durable, at \$8.50. Then we have several patterns in Axminster and Velvet, small size. We are Agents for the Regina Vacuum Cleaner.

Just received a new lot of Dust-Down, which is a great help in keeping the house free of dust and germs. Special attention is paid to our line of Groceries, Fruits and Vegetables.

Don't forget us when in need of something good in Coffee. We have twelve different blends. Try our Lord Calvert, at 35 cents; if not satisfied your money will be refunded cheerfully. Thanking you, for all past favors, we hope to serve you better this season than ever

M. BANNING
Phone 60 East Main St.
Middletown, Delaware

The Transcript, \$1.00

CHESAPEAKE CITY

Mr. Henry Lindsey is spending sometime in Wilmington.

The Delbert Boat Co., expect to shortly open a hardware store here.

Mrs. E. O. Ellison and Miss Ethel M. Gill spent Tuesday in Middletown.

Mr. Thomas Kibler, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday with relatives here.

Mrs. Ida Bouchelle spent part of this week with Mrs. J. D. McCoy, at Cayote, Md.

Mr. Ralph Hargraves, of Marietta, Pa., is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. A. Alexander.

Rev. Papperman, of Princeton University spent Saturday until Monday in town.

Mrs. Emma Ford, of Crumpton, has moved here and will occupy the Peterson property.

Mr. Thomas Price, of Wilmington, spent Saturday and Sunday with his family here.

Mrs. William A. Hazel returned home this week, after spending a pleasant visit with Baltimore relatives.

Mr. Richard Tarbutton and sister, of Sassafras, spent Sunday at the home of Clayton T. Ellison, near town.

Miss Frances Brooks and Miller Lum, both of this town, were married at the bride's home on Saturday evening, April 8th.

Notice to Breeders

Singerly Wilkes

Son of Governor Pattison by the Great Red Wilkes and Pennlyn by Hambletonian-Romney, by the great Red Eye Hambletonian is possibly one of the very best horses that the late Wm. M. Singerly ever bred and last but not least (opportunities considered) one of the best.

Will make the season of 1911 at \$15.00 for season or \$25.00 to insure a Mare in Foal.

Along with Singerly Wilkes.

THE CAPTAIN (Pacer)

Son of Barnett B. 2.06 and thought by many to be his best son will make a short season at \$15.00 to insure a mare in foal. Not responsible for accidents. Address

J. M. JOHNSON

Townsend, Del.

(A liberal reduction for two or more mares.)

For NEAT and BEST JOB WORK Apply to This Office

Great Easter Outfitting Place

For Big and Little Folks

ARE you ready for Easter? If not, buy now. Only a few more days are left to purchase accessories for the Easter costume and the most important part of the costume is the little things. For a woman, whether it be a dress or suit or hat, shoes, gloves, hosiery, veil, handkerchiefs or any of the many accessories to the Easter costume, the Fogel & Burstan Store can supply them all—and if there is something you want and it is not mentioned in the advertisement you can pretty safely depend on finding it at the Fogel & Burstan Department Store.

We are also on the alert to serve the men and boys who are looking for new Easter clothes, with a full line of suits, hats, shoes, neckties, collars, handkerchiefs, hosiery and all other of the man's many small wants.

Our special reduction sale is still going on and all the special prices quoted in our big ad. will hold good until Saturday night, April 15th at midnight. Come now and take advantage of the big bargains here for you.

<h3>Women's and Misses' Suits</h3> <p>Smartly tailored, made up in serge and mannish suitings, nobby, short, hipless coats with straight French back, plain or trimmed, fine imported linings; skirts in the popular effects to correspond with coats. Good values at \$25.00; sale price \$15.00.</p>	<h3>Women's & Misses' Top Coats</h3> <p>Women's and Misses' Top Coats \$9.98. Full length and three-quarter length, made of all-wool serge and covert cloth, all colors, and sizes. Good values at \$15.00; sale price \$9.98.</p>
<h3>Spring Silk Dresses</h3> <p>Spring silk dresses for women and misses. Beautiful new spring silk dress. Charming one piece models in stripes and figures. Also in plain colors, made in the very newest styles. A bargain at \$18.00; sale price \$12.00.</p>	<h3>Men's and Boys' Clothing</h3> <p>You can get fitted here from head to foot from a large selected stock. Boys' Suits for Easter from \$1.50 to \$6.00. Youths' suits from \$8.00 to \$12.00. Men's suits from \$5.00 to \$15.00.</p>
<h3>Children's Wash Dresses</h3> <p>A charming display of children's white and colored dresses. The white ones, made of persian lawns are beautifully trimmed in laces and embroidery, high or low neck, short or long sleeves. Prices from \$1.00 to \$5.00. The colored dresses are made up in about 150 styles. All are the best quality of materials, such as percale, madras, chambray, gingham, rep, poplin, linen and line. Sizes from 2 to 14 years. Prices from 50c to \$2.98.</p>	<h3>MILLINERY</h3> <p>Our Easter hats are prettier and of larger variety than ever before. Hats of every style and for every possible time or occasion. You will see here hats of every size, shape, color and effect. All of creations of art, some exact copies of imported French models. You will see hats such as you will find marked elsewhere from \$25 to \$35, offered at our low prices \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$15.00. Hats that you will have to pay elsewhere from \$5.00 to \$7.50 and \$10.00, you can buy here for \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$3.50.</p>
<h3>50c Neckties at 25c.</h3> <p>A beautiful assortment of neckties in silk and knitted ones, in all the newest patterns and colors. Sale price 25c each.</p>	<h3>W B Corsets</h3> <p>One of America's leading corsets, and are well known all over the world for their superior quality, in that they are perfect fitting, comfortable, and come in models varied enough to suit every type of figure. Everyone will give satisfaction as long as it is worn. All styles and sizes. Prices from 50c to \$3.00.</p>
<h3>Men's 75c Silk Hose 39c.</h3> <p>In black, blue, brown, grey, green and lavender. All pure silk. Full value 75c, opening price 39c pair.</p>	<h3>Thompson's Glove Fitting Corsets</h3> <p>We also have a line of Thompson's Glove Fitting Corsets. All the Spring models, various styles, suitable for all figures. Prices from 40c to \$2.00.</p>
<h3>Miscellaneous</h3> <p>We also have a full line of small articles too numerous to mention. A full line of Underwear, Hosiery, Collars, Belts, Handkerchiefs, Cut Goods, Toilet Articles and other notions.</p>	

Fogel & Burstan Department Store Middletown, Del.

Spring Opening!

And Special Exhibit of the New Spring Styles for Men

Saturday, April 8th to 15th, 1911

You are invited—everybody is invited to come and look over at your leisure this fashionable display of fine apparel for Men and Boys, an exhibit, that for largeness, variety, correctness and beauty, surpasses anything that has ever been shown in Middletown.

It is your duty to see the New Styles. It is our pleasure to show them to you

ELEGANT UP-TO-DATE SPRING SUITS!

Highest in Style---Rarest in Beauty---Greatest in Value

\$6, 8.00, 10, 15.00, 18.00 and \$20

<h3>BOYS' STYLISH and DURABLE SUITS</h3> <p>\$1.75, \$2.25, \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$7</p> <p>You'll like the way they look, and you'll like the way they wear</p>	<h3>FINE SHOES FOR MEN and BOYS</h3> <p>Boy's Shoes \$1 to 2.50 Men's Shoes \$1 to \$4</p> <p>See them, they look good—try them on, they feel good, they wear good.</p>
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THE GLOBE CLOTHING STORE

S. M. Rosenberg, Proprietor

Middletown, Delaware

.. Dad and Betty ..

BY C. B. LEWIS

Dad and Betty were making a tour of Europe, and had reached Mentone when things happened. Dad was a widower of 50—a hard-headed Hoosier, and Betty was his daughter. Dad had been in the sawmill business for 20 years, and Betty, a girl of 23, had been teaching school for the last four years. Upon accepting a good offer to sell out the business Dad had said to his daughter:

I'll let the whole thing slide and start anew on the Sycamore river. I know of a fine site near Kokomo, and if the Legislature will give me a charter for a mill dam I'll make a mint of money. Meanwhile, we'll go to Europe. It won't do us any hurt to get polished up a bit.

They had traveled as two humble American citizens, and been taken at their word. They did not pretend to be anybody, but John M. White and daughter, of Indiana, U. S. A., and if their crudities amused people they brought no ridicule. If they argued a bit about tips and bills, they paid their way in cash and managed to slip along. They had about completed their round when they arrived at Mentone, and the father entered the presence of the daughter one day to observe.

Well, Bet, the Legislature has acted on my petition for a charter for a mill dam on the Sycamore, and I'm knocked out. They refuse to grant it.

But why don't you try to make some money over here? asked the daughter.

Um. Never thought of it. I'm used to Indiana mill dams and saw-mills, and so haven't looked around over here. Don't seem much of a show for them things, but maybe I can hit something else.

He went down into the hotel office to smoke a cigar and think things over, and he had scarcely begun to wonder whether a snow shovel factory or a chewing gum foundry would pay the best, when a commotion arose around him, and the landlord began tearing his hair and wailing that he was a ruined man. Mr. White was interested. His experience in the mill dam business had taught him that what was one man's ruin was another man's upbuilding. He asked for an interview with his host, and when he had stroked and patted and quieted him down, he ascertained what the row was about. A German baron had just committed suicide in the hotel. It was the beginning of the season, and the affair would ruin the business of the hostelry. A suicide hotel would be a hoodoo.

Now, then, answered the man from Indiana, you quit pulling your hair out and wailing like a stray calf, and give me half an hour to think this thing over. It may be a good or a bad thing for you. That's for us to figure out. Just keep cool and give me a show. This isn't a case of damming the Sycamore, but I think I see daylight.

The landlord fell upon the Hoosier's neck and offered him both gratitude and cash to save the situation, and within the half hour Mr. White was closeted with him again and saying:

I'm happy to tell you that you needn't pull out more hair over this matter. I didn't come over here to put on any style, but I'm going to tell you who I am. I'm John M. White, of the Sycamore River and Power company. Sawmills built to order. Mill dams furnished with promptness and despatch. Motive power distributed all over the State of Indiana. Saw logs bought, sold and exchanged. Have you got that through your head?

Oui, Oui, monsieur. In your country you are what they call a—trust—a—magnate—a syndicate.

Exactly, but I have kept quiet about it over here on my daughter's account. Bet don't want all the lords and counts and dukes in Europe running after her. That's the reason we slipped in here without any fuss and took cheap rooms. See?

Then you are inco? We have been strictly so, but the time has come to throw off the mask and save you. The baron who turned on the gas upstairs was a single man and had got down to his last dollar, I believe?

It was so, but the plot monsieur—the plot?

Why, you've got it right before you on the blackboard. There

isn't a boy 10 years old in Indiana who couldn't see it. The barn fell in love with my daughter in Berlin, and followed us here. He discovered my wealth. He would have become my son-in-law for cash. Betty will never marry unless her heart goes with her hand. She turns the baron down, and, having reached the end of the rope, he suicides. Do you catch on?

But he suicides in my hotel, protested the landlord.

For sure, but that's the key-note. He does it for love. That's where the romance comes in. He does it for the love of my Betty, and we are going to stay right here through the season. It will go out that we are a trust—magnates—syndicates—multi-millionaires. Our income is lifted.

And the titled will flock here for the love, the romance, your daughter and your cash?

Right you are. You are improving on it. They'll come from every township in Europe like a drove of steers. You can put up your prices 30 per cent, and then have to turn them away. We will now settle on what whack of the profits I am to have, and then I'll see that the telegraphic accounts of the baron's suicide are doctored to suit the case. From this time on cringe to me whenever I pass through the office. Tell your porters to get down on their knees. Let the waiters stand in awe of me. I have got no royal title, but I've got Betty and the cash. I'm the I. I can shell out the plunks to pay the debts of three or four dukes, and I can dope out the sugar to restore the castles of half a dozen counts. The barons are small game, but let 'em come along and pay board and room rent. Everything counts. There will probably be some sirs and honorables among the gang. Put 'em on the top floor at parlor prices. Do you savvy?

What a man—what a man! answered the landlord as he threw up his arms and laughed in glee. The baron's suicide, as a plain, straight case of shuffling off, would doubtless have hurt the hotel, but when it was known that he had died for unrequited love of a multi-millionaire's only daughter, the case excluded romance and interest. That the young lady and her father had traveled over Europe incognito to keep clear of wife-hunters added interest. That the father owned the Sycamore river, the state of Indiana and ever so many mill dams, as the papers had it, excited the avarice of impecunious noblemen, and day by day the landlord of the hotel patted the Hoosier on the back and whispered:

More great people coming! More rooms reserved! Mon Dieu, but what a man—what a head on a man! A baron ruins my hotel and a mill dam saves her! Miss Betty continued to be plain Miss Betty. A few of the aristocratic but untitled guests sneered at the personal looks and her wardrobe and speech, but she made no change. The great majority whispered: American eccentricity, and that covered everything. She numbered her victims by sixes and sevens. They came to admire and to love, and to tell their love. They loved her for herself alone, and then went down to the office to hear from the father's own lips just how many mill dams and saw mills he owned, and how he proposed to divide with his son-in-law.

Miss Betty didn't play any game. She was just Indiana all the time. She had smiles for all. Once in a while she did say that she could never love a man who was after her money, but she of course added that present company was excepted. A week before the season was to close the father said:

Well, Betty, the play is played. We are going to head for home, and I'll either build a dam across the Sycamore or tear the Legislature out by the roots. You can pack up. And a few days later, when almost a dozen cards were being sent upstairs for Miss White within the hour, the smiling landlord gathered the senders in a parlor in a sort of ward caucus and explained:

Messieurs, I have the pleasure to inform you that Monsieur White, of the Sycamore-Indiana and many millions of dollars, has been called home to see about his dam site, and that his beautiful daughter has accompanied him.

FARM NEWS AND VIEWS

Bulky food serves to promote digestion and health.

A ration rich in carbon will produce too much fat.

It is not necessary to build elaborate poultry houses.

Too highly stimulating food is apt to cause liver troubles.

Red beet, either cooked or raw, are excellent for fowls.

The best preventives for mites are cleanliness and sunlight.

Geese should have access to green forage as early as possible.

Laying hens need plenty of pure water. An egg is about 90 parts water.

Having chosen your incubator study the book of directions and follow it carefully.

Food rich in carbohydrates tends to the production of fat, and fat hens are not the best of layers.

It is a very bad policy to feed the hens nothing but corn; but it is being done by many. Feed a variety.

The trap nest is the only device that will pick the laying from the non-laying hens with absolute certainty.

For all, the production of eggs is an important object in poultry-keeping; for the great number of people it is the grain object in poultry-keeping; for the great number of people it is the main object.

An ounce of the fluid extract of black haw in a pint of warm water will be found very valuable for a cow threatening abortion. A half dose can be repeated in two or three hours as often as necessary.

To the man of little money and many children the Shorthorn is a bonanza, supplying milk and butter and a good salable calf at weaning time. The Jersey, Ayrshire and Holstein are great milk and butter cows.

The warmest part of the brooder should be in the center rather than at the side or corner. If the heat comes from above and a considerable portion of the brooder is heated to the same temperature, no crowding will take place.

The temperature given for running brooders varies with the machine and the position of the thermometer. The reasonable guide for temperature is the action of the chicks.

If they are cold they will crowd toward the source of heat; if too warm they will wander uneasily about; but if the temperature is right, each chick will sleep stretched out on the floor.

The cold chicken does not sleep at all, but puts in its time fighting its way toward the source of heat.

In an improperly constructed or improperly run brooder the chicks go through a varying process of chilling, sweating and struggling when they should be sleeping, and the result is puny chicks that dwindle and die.

The arrangement of the brooder for the sleeping accommodations of the chicks is important, but this is not the only thing to be considered in a brooder.

The brooder used in the early season especially the outdoor brooder, must have ample space provided for the day time accommodation of the chick.

This part of the brooder must be well lighted and somewhat cooler than the brover. As soon as conditions will permit, get the chickens out on a larger floor, or better still, on the ground.

Keep the chicks scratching in day-light and sleeping stretched out at night, and the most difficult problem of poultry-raising has been solved.

Start with Pekins—they are the handiest, and mature early. Pay well for a well-bred male, but do not accept a scrub as a gift.

Pekin ducks do not need water for swimming, but they must have plenty of absolutely clean drinking water.

Pekin ducks do not make good setters—use a chicken hen. Place not more than 13 eggs under the hen. Sprinkle the eggs with slightly warmed water every day for a week before hatching, or the youngsters cannot come through.

START THE NEW YEAR WITH MUSIC

Columbia Graphophones

Disc and Cylinder Records

AT W. S. Letherbury's

Hand-made Horse Collars

I have rented the house on Church street, just south of M. Banning's grocery store, where I will open, on Monday next, January 16th, a horse collar room. It is my intention to make first-class hand-made horse collars, and do repairing on same, and will be glad to sell you a new collar or repair your old ones.

A. REED

Church street, south of Banning's store

Middletown, Del.

RUGS

Woven From old Carpets.

By our latest patent method of RE-INFOURING assures you of the best that can be had.

Tapis Rug Mfg. Co., 822 Tenth St., Wilmington, Del. Illustrated booklet mailed free.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

OF—

APPOQUINIMINK HUNDRED

The taxable residents of Appoquinimink Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the Taxes for the year 1910 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be at the office of GEORGE M. D. HART, in TOWNSEND, DEL., EVERY SATURDAY, During the month of APRIL, 1911, From 1 to 5 o'clock, P. M.

An abatement of 5 per centum will be allowed on all taxes paid during the month of August.

Tax bills can be obtained by making personal application to the Collector, or by sending written communication enclosing stamps.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY, SECTION 3, CHAPTER 30, VOLUME 21, LAWS OF DELAWARE, AS AMENDED.

Section 3.—That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January five per centum thereof shall be added thereto.

JOHN BEITH, Collector of Taxes for Appoquinimink Hundred

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

OF—

St. Georges Hundred

The taxable residents of St. Georges Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the Taxes for the year 1910 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be at

A. G. COX'S OFFICE, MIDDLETOWN, SATURDAY, APRIL 29th, 1911, From 1 to 3 P. M.

MASSEY'S HOTEL, in ODESSA, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26th, 1911, From 1 to 3 P. M.

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JOHN E. DENNY, Collector of Taxes for St. Georges Hundred.

SAMUEL B. FOARD

PAYS THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE FOR ALL KINDS OF Grain

Mr. William Janvier is our Grain Purchasing Agent at St. Georges.

ON HAND AT ALL TIMES HIGH-GRAD BITUMINOUS & LEHIGH

COAL!

SAWED WOOD by the Cord or in small quantities

Lime, Seed, Feed, &c. SEED OATS

1911 TIME TABLE 1911

The Iron STEAMER CLIO

Captain H. V. Woodall WILL LEAVE

Odesa for Philadelphia

AND RETURN FROM Arch St. Wharf, Phila. AS PER TIME TABLE.

ODESSA, APRIL. PHILA. Monday, 5, 12:00 noon Tuesday, 6, 11:00am Wednesday, 7, 12:00pm Thursday, 8, 1:00pm Friday, 9, 2:00pm Saturday, 10, 11:00am Sunday, 11, 12:00pm Monday, 12, 1:00pm Tuesday, 13, 2:00pm Wednesday, 14, 3:00pm Thursday, 15, 4:00pm Friday, 16, 5:00pm Saturday, 17, 6:00pm Sunday, 18, 7:00pm

Steamer will leave Port Penn 12 hours later than Odesa time.

Grain, Fruit and Stock Freight at Reasonable Rates.

Attention given to the Careful Handling and Prompt Delivery of all consignments.

For information in regard to Freight, apply to F. B. WATKINS, Manager Odesa, Delaware

WILLIAM W. ROS, Purser

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For— NEAT and BEST JOB WORK Apply to This Office

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OF—

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AT BLACKBIRD, WATSON'S STORE, MARCH 15th, 1911, From 1 to 4 P. M.

AT FLEMING'S LANDING, MARCH 20th, 1911, From 1 to 4 P. M.

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EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY.

Section 3.—That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January five per centum thereof shall be added thereto.

JOHN BEITH, Collector of Taxes for Blackbird Hundred

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Dark Bay Stallion, foaled 1905, 16 hands, weight 1250 lbs. Sired by Torino, who has a large string of colts, that have made good records, among them being a record of 2:14 3-5. Dam a thoroughbred Kentucky mare, but never trained.

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